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Governor takes wraps off plans for developing Delta water tunnels

This morning, Gov. Edmund G. Brown Jr, and Interior Secretary Ken Salazar announced details on the Bay Delta Conservation Plan (BDCP). It contains several alternatives, including the construction of two tunnels to move water beneath the Sacramento-San Joaquin River Delta. Details are available in a DWR news release.

Water reliability report outlines SWP delivery estimates through 2031

The 2011 <u>State Water Project (SWP)</u> <u>Final Delivery Reliability Report</u> has been released by DWR. The report provides estimates of SWP deliveries through 2031 and provides information on the operation



of the water project. Details are available in a DWR news release.

Sediment is next in line for a Water Plan RMS workshop Another regional management strategy (RMS) workshop for *California Water Plan Update 2013* is on the schedule for next month. On Wednesday, Aug. 15, the <u>Sediment Management RMS Workshop</u> will be held in Sacramento. A new draft of the sediment chapter from the Water Plan has been posted <u>here</u>. A <u>webcast</u> of the workshop will be available.

DWR seeking public input on outline for water portion of Climate Adaptation Strategy The California Natural Resources Agency will be updating the state's *Climate Adaptation Strategy* (CAS) later this year. As part of the process, DWR is seeking public comments on the <u>outline</u> <u>for the water sector</u> of the CAS. A meeting will be held Tuesday, Aug. 7, in Sacramento, to gather public input. Details on the meeting and instructions for submitting written comments are available on the DWR website. The deadline for comments is Aug. 14.

Comments on water commission's draft strategic plan due on Tuesday

Next Tuesday, July 31, is the deadline to <u>submit</u> <u>comments</u> on the California Water Commission's <u>draft strategic plan</u>. The comments will be reviewed during the commission's next meeting on Wednesday, Aug. 15, in Sacramento. The agenda, and other meeting details, will be posted here.



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